



CITY OF HUTTO, TEXAS BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS APPLICATION

The City Council will use this application for their selection of individuals for appointments to specific Boards and Commissions that were established to assist and advise the City Council on specific issues.

All information provided in this application is public information pursuant to the Texas Public Information Act.

All individuals appointed to serve on a Board or Commission will be required to complete training relative to the Texas Open Meetings Act and to the Texas Public Information Act.

Name _____

Telephone Numbers (Home) _____ (Cell) _____

Residential Address: _____

Email: _____

Business Address: _____

Business Telephone _____

Do you live inside the city limits of Hutto? Yes No

If yes, how many years _____

Are you a registered voter? Yes No

Voter Registration No. _____ (Required)

Have you graduated from Hutto Citizen's University? Yes No

I AM INTERESTED IN SERVING ON THE FOLLOWING BOARDS OR COMMISSIONS:

Please check the appropriate boxes. If applying for more than one Board or Commission, please rank your preference by number using No. 1 as your first choice. Please limit your selection to no more than three (3).

<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Economic Development Corporation</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Parks and Recreation Advisory Board</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Ethics Review Commission</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Planning and Zoning Commission</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Historic Preservation Commission</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Zoning Board of Adjustments</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Building Standards Commission</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Library Advisory Board</u>

- What is your occupation or area of expertise?
- Work experience applicable to the City Board or Commission to which you are applying.
- Have you attended a City Council meeting before? Yes No
- Have you attended a Board or Commission meeting for which you have applied?
Yes No
- Do you have knowledge/training regarding the applied for Board or Commission?
Yes No If yes, please list:
- List any experience that qualifies you to serve in the positions indicated.

- Do you have working knowledge in any of the following areas? Please check all that apply.

<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Real Estate/Development</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Banking/Finance</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Manufacturing/Industrial Operations</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Real Estate Management</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Business Development</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Promotions/Marketing</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Law/Contract Administration</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Business Management</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Building/Construction</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Other: _____</u>

- Do you currently serve on any other City Board or Commission at this time? If so, which Board or Commission?

- Do you have any business or personal relationship with the City of Hutto that would affect your ability to have impartial judgment in City Matters? Attach separate page, if necessary.

Yes No If yes, explain.

- What type of services do you feel the Board or Commission to which you have applied has brought to the community? Attach separate page if necessary.

Board or Commission: _____

- What do you hope to contribute to the community by serving on the Board and/or Commission to which you are applying? Please address each board or commission you have selected above. Attach a separate page, if necessary.



The submittal and execution of the following Responsibilities of Board and Commission Members is a requirement of the application process.

Responsibilities of Board and Commission Members

To be selected as a City board or commission member is a high honor and provides an unusual opportunity for genuine public service. Although specific duties of each vary widely with the purpose for which they are formed, there are certain responsibilities that are common to all members. The following is a summary of those responsibilities.

1. Understand the role and scope of responsibility. Be informed of the individual board or commission's scope of responsibility and operating procedures.
2. Be careful to represent the majority views of your individual board or commission. Individual "opinions" to the public and press are discouraged and, if given, should be identified as such.
3. Members should represent the public interest and not special interest groups.
4. Members are in a unique position of serving as a liaison between the City and its citizens and can help to reconcile contradictory viewpoints and to build a consensus around common goals and objectives.
5. Do your homework and be thorough in recommendations. View situations under consideration prior to the meeting in order to be fully prepared to discuss, evaluate, and act on all matters scheduled for consideration. Conclusions based on careful preparation will strengthen the value of the group's recommendations.
6. Participate in continuing education opportunities offered by the City or related affiliate organizations.
7. Supportive relationships with the City Council and City staff are basic for successful operation of any board or commission. In contacting City personnel on items of consideration, the proper channel is through the designated City staff person providing staff support for your group.
8. Establish a good working relationship with fellow group members. Respect individual viewpoints, allow other members time to present their views fully before making comments, be open and honest, welcome new members, and strive to minimize political action on issues.
9. Council appointments to boards or commissions are made without regard to political party affiliation. Members are not restricted from participating in political activities; however, members should not use or involve their membership in the conduct of political activities.

I acknowledge that I have read the responsibilities and work on the community's behalf to uphold them.

Signature _____

Date _____